

TO: FCCRe: NAB Petition Against XM Radio

Dear Gentlepersons, I want to go on record as being opposed to the NAB's efforts to limit XM Radio from providing the full range of services that I have come to expect. As a paying customer for the XM service I expect a lot for my consumer dollar; why should XM be legislatively prohibited from providing a service that customers are willing to pay for? Although I am not currently living in a city where XM provides a traffic report, I have utilized the traffic stations when driving through other cities and I hope that Denver will have a traffic station soon. Again, as a paying customer shouldn't I be entitled to that service?

If the radio stations that the NAB represents want to challenge the growth of the satellite stations then they need to start providing a better service. Competition in the marketplace is the American way, not protectionism through legislation. Please vote against the protectionist petition being pushed by the NAB.

Sincerely,
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